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AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Washington DC 20231

Dear Sir:

The present application is the national filing of International Application No. PCT/GB00/00129. Appended hereto is a copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report for that application, having appended thereto the claims as the currently appear in the international application. Before calculation of the national filing fee for the United States, it is requested that the application be amended as follows:

In the Claims

Amend Claims 3-5, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 16 and 22-24 as follows:

3. (Amended) A substrate according to claim 1, wherein each of the identification features is similar in character to each of the other features in the said surface.